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THIS being the Day appointed for the General Thankſgiving for the happy Union of the Kingdoms of *England* and *Scotland*, Her Majeſty went in a Coach of State to the Cathedral Church of St. *Paul*, attended by a magnificent Appearance of the Nobility and Gentry of each Nation, to return Thanks to Almighty God for that great Bleſſing.

The Streets were lined from St. *James's* to *Temple-Bar* by the Militia of *Weſtminſter*; from thence to St. *Paul's* by the City Trained Bands, the ſeveral Companies in their Gowns being placed on Scaffolds erected for that purpoſe; and a Battalion of Her Majeſty's Two Regiments of Foot-Guards made a Lane from the Entrance into the Church to the Choir. The Balconies and Windows of the Houſes were hung with Tapeſtry, and crowded with Multitudes of Spectators.

Her Majeſty was met at *Temple Bar* by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen in their Formalities: The Lord Mayor preſented to Her Majeſty the City Sword; which, the Queen being graciouſly pleaſed to return to him, he carried it before Her Majeſty to the Church.

Her Majeſty was received at the Entrance into the Church by the Peers: The Sword of State was carried before Her Majeſty by the Earl of *Seafield*. The Lord Biſhop of *Oxford* Preached; and the *Te Deum*, with proper Authems, was Sung by Her Majeſty's Choir.

Divine Service being ended, Her Majeſty returned to *St. James's*. The Great Guns of the *Tower* and thoſe in *St. James's* Park were thrice diſcharged; the firſt time when Her Majeſty parted from *St. James's*, the ſecond at the Singing the *Te Deum*, and the third when Her Majeſty came back to Her Palace.

The Publick Demonſtrations of Joy were ſuitable to ſo great an Occaſion, and the Day was concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Expreſſions of a General Satisfaction.

Kenſington, May 4. The following Addreſs from the Borough of St. *Albans* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Henry Killigrew* Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Chamberlain.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty.*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Juſtices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Freemen, and Inhabitants, of Your Majeſty's ancient Borough of St. *Albans* in the County of *Hertford*.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

THE many and unparallel'd Succeſſes which have hitherto attended Your Majeſty's happy Reign, call for the utmoſt Gratitude of all Your Subjects to God and Your Majeſty.

In particular we hold our ſelves in Duty bound to render thankful Acknowledgments for the finiſhing of that great Deſign of Uniting all Britain *into one Kingdom, which, next to God, muſt be attributed to Your Majeſty's matchleſs Wiſdom in taking proper Meaſures, and making Choice of ſuch wiſe, faithful and diligent Commiſſioners; ſince other Princes have heretofore ſo long and ſo often wiſhed for, and attempted the ſame thing in vain.*

May the End anſwer Your Majeſty's Royal Intentions and Deſire, and prove a laſting Addition to the Strength, Peace, and Proſperity of the whole Iſland; and may all Your People ſincerely join Hearts and Hands for the Glory and Safety of Your Majeſty's Sacred Perſon and Government, and for the Supporting and Strengthening of the Proteſtant Intereſt through the whole united Kingdom.

And we reſt well aſſured, it will be Your Majeſty's Care, that the Religion as by Law eſtabliſhed, in this Part of Great Britain, *may be ſupported and maintained, not only during Your own Life, which God long preſerve, but that the ſame ſhall be alſo tranſmited to our Poſterity for ever.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Kent* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *John Brewer* Eſq; Chairman of the Quarter-Seſſions; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Treaſurer.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Grand Jury, Juſtices of the Peace and Gentlemen, aſſembled at the General Quarter-Seſſions of the Peace, held for the County of *Kent* at *Maidſtone*, on *Tueſday* the Two and twentieth Day of *April*, in the Sixth Year of Your Majeſty's Reign.

WE Your Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects, having frequent and juſt Occaſions given us for our grateful Acknowledgements of the many great Bleſſings we enjoy under Your Majeſty's wiſe and happy Adminiſtration; by which the Engliſh *Honour ſhines with the brighteſt Luſtre in Your Arms abroad, and Councils at home.*

We have now a freſh Inſtance of Your Majeſty's great Wiſdom and Concern for the Welfare of Your Subjects, by the uniting Your Two Kingdoms of England *and* Scotland; *a Work of the greateſt and happieſt Conſequence for the Security of our Religion and Liberties; a Work reſerved for, and worthy the Honour of Your Majeſty's Reign; a Reign full of Bleſſings to the preſent Age, and will be of the greateſt Renown in Ages to come.*

We therefore take Leave to congratulate Your Majeſty in the Succeſs of this Your great Undertaking, and that Your Majeſty may long enjoy the deſired Effects of it; and that all Your Subjects may be united in their Duty to Your Majeſty, and in mutual Affections to one another; and thereby Your Majeſty's Reign may be continued Happy and Long over us.

The following Addreſs from the Town and Port of *New Romney* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *John Brewer* Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Treaſurer.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Jurats, and Commonalty, of the Town and Port of *New Romney* in the County of *Kent*, one of Your Majeſty's Cinque-Ports.

THough in former Reigns of Your Majeſty's Royal Predeceſſors, (Kings of this Realm) an Incorporating Union of England *and* Scotland *hath often been attempted, yet the great Work appeared ſo nice and difficult in its Nature, that in theſe Times it was ever left impracticable, or unſucceſsful.*

But this being the Time (the Time of Your Majeſty's happy Reign over us) when all Your Subjects of both Kingdoms by Inclination and Duty, gladly become united in their Loyalty and Zeal to Your Majeſty's Perſon and Government:

We beg Leave to acknowledge, it ſeems not wonderful to us that a People ſo diſpoſed and affected, ſhould mutually give into Meaſures for ſuch an Incorporating Union, by which their Wealth, Strength and Safety, are not only united, but thereby the more effectually ſecured and eſtabliſhed in the great Body of Great Britain.

In which Felicity we take Leave to congratulate Your Majeſty (whoſe Happineſs ſo much depends on the Security and flouriſhing Eſtate of Your People); And may Your Majeſty long enjoy the Fruits of this National Bleſſing; for the Accompliſhment of which Your Majeſty's great Wiſdom contributed ſo much.

Given under our Common Seal at the Town and Port of New Romney *aforeſaid, this One and twentieth Day of* April, *in the Sixth Year of Your Majeſty's Reign,* Annoq; Dom. 1707.

The following Addreſs from the City of *Bath* was preſented to Her Majeſty by their Repreſentatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Treaſurer.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty.*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council, of Your Majeſty's ancient and loyal City of *Bath*, and of their Repreſentatives in Parliament.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majeſty's moſt loyal Subjects, having received great and peculiar Advantages by Your Royal Preſence and Bounty, as well as our common Share in the Publick Bleſſings, do moſt humbly beg Leave to expreſs our greateſt Joy for the Accompliſhment of the happy Union of Your Imperial Realms of England *and* Scotland; *and to render our Thanks to Your Majeſty, in a moſt dutiful manner, for ſo ſignal a Benefit, procured by Your Majeſty's tender Care for the general Good of both Nations; whereby their mutual Security, in the Settlement of the Proteſtant Succeſſion, and of our Religion, Liberties and Properties, has been ſo firmly eſtabliſhed, that we have no reaſon to doubt of the Continuance of ſo great a Happineſs, which, after many ſucceſsleſs Endeavours of Your Predeceſſors, has been brought to Perfection by Your own Hand, and unparallel'd Wiſdom.*

This, with Your other Atchievements, will eternize Your Royal Name in the Annals of Great Britain, *as having entirely thrown down, by ſo glorious a Work, even the laſt Remains of that Wall of Separation that divided the Two Kingdoms.*

Therefore now, Madam, we devoutly offer up our Prayers to God, and humbly crave Leave to return our Thanks to Your Majeſty, for this great and publick Bleſſing, which provides for the Peace and Proſperity of this whole Iſland, and for the Security of our Religion, by a more firm Eſtabliſhment of the Proteſtant Succeſſion to the Imperial Crown of Great Britain.

Under a grateful Senſe of theſe Mercies, we do moſt earneſtly pray, That Your Majeſty (by the continuance of God's Bleſſing upon Your Arms, and thoſe of Your Allies) may be as ſucceſsful in Your Deſigns, for the univerſal Good and Happineſs of Chriſtendom; And by the length of Your pious and proſperous Reign here

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may work for Your ſelf a far more exceeding and eternal Weight of Glory. In Teſtimony whereof, we have cauſed our Common Seal to be hereunto affixed, this Six and twentieth Day of April, *in the Sixth Year of Your Majeſty's moſt glorious Reign,* Annoq; Dom. 1707.

The following Addreſs from the Eaſt-Riding of the County of *York* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *William Strickland* Eſq; Introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Newcaſtle*, Lord Privy-Seal, and Lord-Lieutenant of the Eaſt-Riding of the County of *York*.

May it pleaſe Your Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

WE the Juſtices of the Peace, Deputy-Lieutenants, and Gentlemen, met at our General Quarter-Seſſions holden at Beverley, *for the Eaſt-Riding of the County of* York, *deſire Leave to lay hold of this Opportunity to aſſure Your Majeſty, That none of Your Loyal Subjects can rejoice more than we do at the Great Victories obtained by the Conduct and Valour of Your Arms Abroad, or of a much Greater Victory obtained by the Indefatigable and moſt Wonderful Management of the Union of the Kingdoms of* England *and* Scotland, *which hath been for many Ages endeavour'd in vain: But, to the Eternal Glory of Your Majeſty's moſt Auſpicious Reign, now accompliſhed; to the great Joy and Satisfaction of all People, who have any Regard either to the Proteſtant Religion, or Succeſſion of the Crown, as by Law eſtabliſhed.*

Our Iſland now is become ſo united both in Government and Intereſt, that all True Proteſtants muſt rejoice at it: And there can be no Mourners left in this our Happy Iſle, but the Friends of Popery; and they that would have introduced the Pretended Prince of Wales, *to the utter Deſtruction both of Church and State.* Scotland, *that formerly hath been a Back-door, by which* England *hath received great Damage, is now become a ſtrong Bulwark of Defence: And we have nothing left to hope or wiſh for, but a Long Continuance of Your Majeſty's Life, who hath ſo Glorioufly defended us and all* Chriſtendom *(againſt the Furious Inſults of the* French *King, who for ſo many Years hath been the Diſturber of our Peace and Quiet), and united us at Home in ſuch a manner, as muſt render us Safe to all Poſterity.*

The following Addreſs from the Town of *Kingſton* upon *Hull* was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *William St. Quintin* Bar. one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Newcaſtle*, Lord Privy-Seal, and Governor of the ſaid Town and Fort of *Hull*.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriff, and Burgeſſes, of the Town of *Kingſton* upon *Hull*.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE did preſume to Addreſs Your Sacred Majeſty upon the Glorious Succeſſes of Your Victorious Arms, under the Conduct of Your Great and Valiant General. We then had in Juſt Admiration Your Majeſty's Great Wiſdom and Goodneſs, and Reaſon to think our ſelves a moſt Happy People under ſuch Surpriſing Events as have continually attended Your moſt Glorious Reign.

But when we reflect upon the Union, brought by Your Majeſty to a Happy Concluſion, we are at a Loſs how to expreſs our ſelves; it being a Work in vain attempted by former Ages; and would have ever had the ſame Fate, had not You, Madam, been ordained by Heaven for the Accompliſhment thereof: And no Miniſtry, but One inſpir'd by the Example of Your Majeſty's Piety and Indefatigable Care for the Good of Your People, in all their Religions and Civil Rights, could have effected it.

All that is near and dear to us is now ſecur'd from Oppreſſion *and Tyranny: The Rays of Peace and Concord ſhine upon* Great-Britain; *and every Good Subject is full of Zeal and Vigour to improve the Conſequences of this Great Bleſſing. And may the Great God of Union long protect Your Precious Life, that You may with Satisfaction ſee the Happy Effects of the Wonders you have done for the Good of Mankind.*

This, Madam, is the Unfeigned Prayer of us Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects and Servants. In Teſtimony whereof we have hereto ſet our Common Seal, this 24th Day of April, *in the Sixth Year of Your Majeſty's Happy Reign.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Nottingham* was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Hon. *James Sanderſon* Eſq; Introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Newcaſtle*, Lord Privy-Seal, and Lord-Lieutenant of the ſaid County.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and other Gentlemen and Freeholders, aſſembled at the General Quarter-Seſſions of the Peace held at *Nottingham*, for the County of *Nottingham*, and other Places, by Adjournment, in and for the ſaid County, *Eaſter*-Seſſions, 1707.

May it pleaſe Your Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

WE, Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and moſt Obedient Subjects, do preſume to approach Your Majeſty with Hearts truly ſenſible of the Invaluable Bleſſings we enjoy under Your Majeſty's moſt Auſpicious Reign. Such is Your Majeſty's Wiſdom in the Adminiſtration of Your Grand Affairs, that every Year produceth Subject for a new Congratulation. 'Twas for Victories obtain'd Abroad by Your Majeſty's Arms and Your Allies, that we have had the Honour to Addreſs Your Majeſty ſo often: 'Tis now for the Greateſt Succeſs obtained at Home; A Conqueſt over thoſe Difficulties which none of Your Royal Predeceſſors could (tho' ſo often attempted) ever accompliſh, as the Uniting Your Two Kingdoms of England *and* Scotland. *This ſeems to have been a Work reſerved to Your Majeſty by Divine Providence, to add a new Luſtre to Your Reign, (ſo productive of Wonders) as a Reward of Your Tranſcendent Piety and Clemency; by which You have not only defeated the Hopes of the Enemies of Your Majeſty and our Holy Religion, but have laid a laſting Foundation for the Security of the Crown in the Proteſtant Line, and the Preſervation of our Religion, Laws, and Liberties.*

May we, and all Your Subjects, demonſtrate our Gratitude to Your Sacred Majeſty, by a Conſtant Zeal for Your Majeſty's Service, and by endeavouring to follow that Admirable Advice, which we have ſo often received from the Throne, of Love, Charity, and Moderation, one towards another; that, as Nations, ſo Hearts may be united, and all join together to implore the Almighty for Your Majeſty's Long and Proſperous Reign over us.

The following Addreſs from the County of *Bedford* was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *William Goſtwick* Bar. one of the Knights of the Shire: Introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Bedford*, Lord-Lieutenant of the ſaid County.

To the QUEEN's *Moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and other the Gentlemen aſſembled at the Quarter-Seſſions for the County of *Bedford*.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, do in all Humility Congratulate the Great and Wonderful Succeſſes, as well of Your Majeſty's Councils as Arms; among which, nothing can more contribute to make us Happy at Home and Powerful Abroad, than the Union of Your Two Kingdoms: A Work ſo Glorious to Your Majeſty, and Beneficial to Your Subjects of both United Nations, that it ſeems to be reſerved by Providence to be accompliſhed in Your Unparallel'd Reign, after the many Unſucceſsful Attempts of Your Royal Predeceſſors; as does alſo that of Reducing the Exorbitant Power of France, *and Recovering the Juſt Balance of* Europe; *in which Your Majeſty has made ſuch a Progreſs, that we have Reaſon to hope that Great End will be attained to in a ſhort Time. May Your Majeſty's Great and Pious Deſigns for the Good of Mankind continually ſucceed; that as You will for Ever entirely reign in the Hearts of all Your Good Subjects, ſo You may always be acknowledged the Patroneſs of the Chriſtian World.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Southampton* was preſented to Her Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of *Bolton*, Lord-Lieutenant of the ſaid County.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Lord-Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, and High Sheriff, of the County of *Southampton*, at the General Quarter-Seſſions of the Peace holden at the Caſtle of *Winton* the 22d Day of *April*, 1707.

WE, Your Majeſty's moſt Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, the Lord-Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, and High Sheriff, aſſembled at this preſent General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace for this County of Southampton, *do moſt humbly adore the Divine Goodneſs in reſerving to Your Majeſty's Happy and Glorious Reign not only the reſtoring the Balance of* Europe, *by abating the Exorbitant Power of* France, *and delivering us from the Great Oppreſſor; but that alſo, in Your Majeſty's Reign, Your Wiſe Miniſtry, Prudent Councils and Conduct, that which* Henry *the Seventh, the Wiſeſt of our Kings, foretold in his Time, when he choſe rather to marry his Daughter into* Scotland *than into* France, *is now perfected and compleated in the Union of the Two Kingdoms.*

We humbly hope alſo Heaven hath reſerved to Your Majeſty's Reign the Union of the Hearts and Minds of Your own Subjects, and that no unſeaſonable Heats and Fears may continue any longer amongſt us, and Your Majeſty may long enjoy the Bleſſed Fruits of a Laſting Peace both at Home and Abroad.

The following Addreſs from the Corporation of *Saffron-Walden* was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Bindon*, Deputy to his Grace the Duke of *Norfolk*, Earl-Marſhal of *England*.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Deputy-Recorder, and Aldermen, of Your Majeſty's Corporation of *Saffron-Walden* in the County of *Eſſex*.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

THE many Felicities we enjoy under Your Majeſty's moſt Auſpicious Reign, are ſo very great and ſurpriſing, that we want even Words to expreſs our due Senſe of them.

No ſooner had we Addreſs'd Your Sacred Majeſty upon Your Unparallel'd Victories obtain'd over Your Enemies, but Freſh and Pleaſing Occaſions offer themſelves to us to Congratulate Your Majeſty for overcoming a Work of a more difficult Nature, the Uniting of Your Two Kingdoms of England *and* Scotland: *A Work too great for Your Royal Predeceſſors to accompliſh, and reſerved by Divine Providence for the Genuine Honour of Your Reign.*

The Happy Conſequences of which Union, we are ſenſible will be the Securing the Succeſſion, as by Law eſtabliſhed, to future Ages, and the Strengthening and Enriching of Your People.

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May the Good God bleſs Your Majeſty with a Continued Proſperous Reign over us, that You may here long enjoy the Fruits of Your Great Actions; and that we and all Your Subjects may anſwer Your Juſt Expectations and Deſires, in Uniting our Hearts and Affections in becoming One People.

In Witneſs whereof, we have cauſed our Common Seal to be hereunto affixed, the Twenty fifth Day of April, *in the Sixth Year of Your Majeſty's Reign.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Weſtmorland* was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Wharton.*

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Juſtices of the Peace and Grand Jury of the County of *Weſtmorland*, at the General Quarter-Seſſions held at *Appleby*, for the ſaid County, upon *Monday* the 21ſt Day of *April*, 1707.

WE are ſo full of Wonder and Admiration at Your Majeſty's Inimitable Virtues, and Glorious Succeſſes Abroad, that we cannot ſufficiently admire the Divine Goodneſs for ſo Great a Bleſſing, in giving us a Princeſs who excels all that ever came before.

It is not long ſince we Congratulated Your Majeſty for the Glorious Succeſs of Your Majeſty's and the Arms of Your Allies in ſeveral Parts of Europe; but now we have an Occaſion which more immediately concern us, upon the Happy Union of the Two Kingdoms of England *and* Scotland: *And tho' the Happy Conſequences attending this Work are highly Advantagious to all Your Majeſty's Subjects; yet none will have a greater Share in that Happineſs than us, who will be effectually ſecured in our Lives and Fortunes from any Diſturbance from that Quarter. This is a mighty Work, and only deſigned by the Deity for Your Majeſty to effect; which is a new Glory wherewith God crowns Your Majeſty, that we may all behold You with greater Veneration.*

And that God Almighty would continue to pour down his Bleſſings upon Your Majeſty, Your Royal Conſort, and the Royal Family, are and ſhall be the conſtant Wiſhes and Prayers of Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Southwark* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Charles Cox* Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Northumberland.*

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of Your Majeſty's Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, and Inhabitants, of the Borough of *Southwark.*

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

TO give us Leave to throw our ſelves at Your Royal Feet with Hearts full of Joy and Gratitude for the Union of Your Two Kingdoms. The Reconciling ſuch different Intereſts, after ſo many fruitleſs Endeavours of former Princes, was capable of being accompliſh'd only by Your Wiſdom: And after the repeated Succeſſes of Your Arms againſt France; *after humbling a Power ſo formidable to all* Europe, *after the Deliverance of ſo many other Countries from Oppreſſion, and of Your own from their Fears: This was the only Thing wanting to compleat Your Glory, and the Happineſs of Your whole People.*

Secur'd by Your Arms from Foreign, and by this Bleſſed Union from Domeſtick, Dangers, the Tranquility of this Iſland ſeems for ever eſtabliſh'd: We are, from this Time, held together by Sacred, as well as Civil, Intereſts; and ſhall therefore join together in the ſame Prayer, That You may long Reign, as You moſt Juſtly deſerve, the Darling of Your Subjects, the Terror of Your Enemies, and the Arbiter of all Chriſtendom.

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Appleby* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *James Grahme* Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. Mr. Secretary *Harley.*

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellen Majeſty.

Ehe humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Common-Council, and other the Burghers and Inhabitants, of Your Majeſty's ancient Borough of *Appleby* within the County of *Weſtmorland.*

MADAM,

THE Triumphs of Your Majeſty's victorious Arms abroad, and the undiſturbed Peace and Tranquility we enjoy at home, under Your Auſpicious and Glorious Reign, have given us frequent Occaſions of paying our moſt thankful Acknowledgments to Heaven and Your Self for ſuch unſpeakable Bleſſings: And we beg Leave to ſay. (Madam) We have always done it with a true Zeal for God's Honour, and a hearty, loyal and ſincere Affection, to Your Majeſty's Sacred Perſon. But, what ſhall we ſay upon this glorious Occaſion? We are too ſenſible of the Miſeries and Calamities this Part of Your Kingdom ſuffer'd in former Times, not to be truly Thankful for this happy and advantagious Union, which baffled the Politicks and Endeavours of former Reigns; and (though often attempted) would never paſs into a Law, till it had the Honour to be Touch'd with Your peaceful and powerful Scepter.

We Reverence and Adore the Divine Goodneſs for making Your Sacred Majeſty the Glorious Inſtrument in bringing ſuch mighty Things to paſs: We faithfully promiſe our utmoſt Endeavours to preſerve that Unity and good Underſtanding which Your Majeſty is pleaſed ſo graciouſly and affectionately to recommend to us: And (as 'tis both our bounden Duty and our great Intereſt) we heartily pray, That this fortunate Iſland of Great Britain *may long enjoy the ineſtimable Bleſſing of Your wiſe, juſt and gentle Government; which we ſhall always be ready to Defend at the Expence of our Lives and Fortunes.*

In Teſtimony whereof we have hereunto ſubſcribed our Names, this Twenty eighth Day of April, *in the Sixth Year of Your Majeſty's Glorious Reign.*

The following Addreſſes have alſo been preſented to Her Majeſty.

To the QUEEN's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of Your Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace, Deputy-Lieutenants and Militia Officers, for the County of *Middleſex*, together with the Grand Jury in Quarter-Seſſions aſſembled.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, amongſt the many others that have addreſſed Your Majeſty upon the happy Union of the Two Kingdoms, ſo often attempted by other Princes, but happily effected by Your Majeſty, beg Leave upon this Occaſion to congratulate Your Majeſty, and aſſure Your Majeſty, That nothing ſhall be wanting on our Parts to render it every way effectual, to the Advantage of the united Kingdoms.

That Your Majeſty may long live to ſee the happy Effects of this, and all other Your unwearied Cares, for the good of Your People; and that they may every way anſwer Your noble Deſigns, ſhall be the conſtant Prayers of Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects and Servants.

To the QUEEN's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord-Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of *Leiceſter.*

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

THE Compleat Union of Your Two Kingdoms of England *and* Scotland, *(which an whole Age attempted in vain) was a Peculiar Bleſſing reſerved for Your Majeſty's Auſpicious and Victorious Reign.*

Admit us therefore, Dread Sovereign, to Congratulate Your Majeſty upon ſo Glorious and Surpriſing a Providence, ſo neceſſary for a Firm and Laſting Eſtabliſhment of the Peace and Proſperity of this Your Renowned Iſland of Great-Britain; *which, as it is a World within it ſelf, ſo, by the United Hands and Hearts of Your Subjects of both Kingdoms, may it ſo proſper in Riches and Strength, under Your Majeſty's moſt Happy Government, (which God long continue to us) as to be able, by ſuch an United Intereſt, to preſerve the Balance of* Europe, *and to give Peace and Tranquility to* Europe.

All which Addreſſes Her Majeſty received very graciouſly.

Turin, April 23. *N. S.* On the Arrival of the Prince of Vaudemont with the Enemy's Troops in this State, the Duke of Savoy ſent an Officer of his Guards to Compliment him, and offer what he might have occaſion for in his March to Suza. The Prince returned the Compliment by one of his Aid-de-Camps; and ſent at the ſame time a French Bridadier to inform his Royal Highneſs, That the Forces of the Two Crowns had been obliged, by ill Weather, to halt one Day at Trin; and that the Prince deſired his Royal Highneſs to give him leave to canton his Troops, it being impoſſible for them to encamp, with ſome other Propoſals for their Eaſe and Accommodation on their March: To all which his Royal Highneſs has given his Conſent. Monſieur de Senecter having finiſhed his Negotiation here about the Exchange of Priſoners, has received his Royal Highneſs's Orders to leave this Place, and he will be conducted to Suza to Morrow or next Day. General Slick went from hence Yeſterday for Milan, from whence Prince Eugene and Count Daun came hitherto the ſame Day.

Berne, April 30. This Morning arrived here an Expreſs from Zurich with an Account, That on Eaſter-Sunday a Congregation of Proteſtants in the Country of Tockenbourg being aſſembled in one of their Churches, a Party of Roman Catholicks broke in upon them, and in a tumultuous manner interrupted their Devotions, which the Proteſtants ſo zealouſly reſented, that it came to Blows, and ſeveral on both ſides were killed in the Diſorder. The Canton of Zurich, upon this Intelligence, ordered ſome Troops to march into thoſe Parts to ſupport the Proteſtants; and have written to this Canton to demand the like Aſſiſtance, according to their Agreement. The great Council is now in a Debate what Meaſures to take upon this Occaſion.

Paris, May 6. The Marquis de Silly arrived at Marli on the 5th Inſtant, with the News of a Victory which our Troops, in Conjunction with thoſe of Spain, had gained over the Confederate Army in Valentia on the 25th of April. He ſays, That my Lord Galway having beſieg'd Villena, and the Duke of Berwick marching to its Relief, the two Armies came to an Engagement in the Plain of Almanſa: Our Army was drawn up in two Bodies, the French on the Right, the Spaniards on the Left. The Enemy were in the ſame Poſture; one of their Bodies conſiſting of Portugueſe; the other of their Confederates: They attacked us about Noon, with ſuch extraordinary Fury, that the Engliſh and Dutch broke into our Infantry on the Right; but our Horſe and Dragoons coming up, and charging the Enemy Sword in Hand, put them into Diſorder, and after an obſtinate Diſpute of two Hours, obliged them